

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appellant: Patrice Cardine
Serial No.: 10/511,119
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Group Art Unit: 3634
Examiner: Redman, Jerry E.
Title: BRACKET FOR WINDOW REGULATOR, WINDOW
REGULATOR AND VEHICLE BODY

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REPLY BRIEF

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Examiner's Answer mailed September 15, 2010. The Examiner has made some arguments that require some brief response.

REMARKS

The Examiner states that the only issue relates to whether the screwing direction is a normal line substantially perpendicular to the plane and inclined relative to the window guiding direction.

First, the Examiner states that Figure 1 of Rieder appears to leave out the defined angle shown in Figures 3-5. However, Figure 1 is a general view of the door 1 and does not show the detail of any angles.

In the Examiner's Answer, the Examiner argues that the first part is bent into the paper as shown in Figures 2 and 5. However, even taking this interpretation, the bent part is still parallel to the window guiding direction, further shown in the annotated Figure 3 (shown below). The right dotted line represents the window-guiding direction, and the parallel left dotted line represents the

screwing direction. Therefore, the screwing direction (the normal line) is not inclined relative to a window-guiding direction, but is instead parallel.

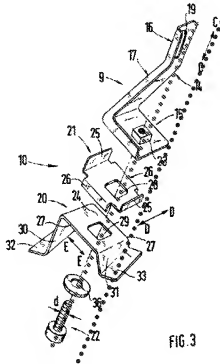


FIG. 3

CONCLUSION

For the reasons set forth above, the rejection of all claims is improper and should be reversed. Appellant respectfully requests such an action.

Respectfully Submitted,

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